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Title: INTEGRATED GRANULE PRODUCT

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Dear Sir:

This is an appeal from the Office Action mailed on May 11, 2005 finally rejecting claims 2-11, 26-29, 35, 37 and 39-42.

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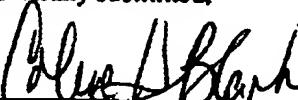
CONCLUSION

For the foregoing reasons, appellants respectfully submit that the Examiner has erred in rejecting this application. Please reverse the Examiner on all counts.

Respectfully submitted,

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